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Attorney Docket No. 2002P20039WOUS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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| Inventor: | P. Tiemann |) | |
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Title: TURBINE, FIXING DEVICE FOR BLADES AND WORKING METHOD FOR
DISMANTLING THE BLADES OF A TURBINE (as amended)

Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.